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RECONSTRUCTION AND WIDENING OF CANDIA ROAD IN MANCHESTER INCLUDES INTERSECTION, DRAINAGE AND SIGNAL IMPROVEMENTS

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) announces construction work is underway on the reconstruction of a section of Candia Road in Manchester.

This project involves the reconstruction and widening of Candia Road from the I-93/Exit 6 eastern ramp to the Massabesic Traffic Circle. It includes intersection improvements at Industrial Park Drive, Hanover Street, Bridge Street, and other minor intersection work at 11 other intersections. Also included in the project are drainage improvements, signalization upgrades, and sewer and water system work.

Daytime lane shifts and lane closures will be necessary during the project. All businesses and side roads along Candia Road will remain open, although motorists may experience some minor delays.

R.S. Audley, Inc. of Bow, New Hampshire is the general contractor for the \$8.7 million project, which is scheduled to be completed in June 2007.